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| In re the Application of: | Atty. Docket No.: | 006020.00008 |
| Philip Victor HARMAN | | |
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2009. Applicant requests three (3) months extension of time until February 4, 2010. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 in the amount of \$555.00.

If additional fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly.

RESPONSE

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 4, 2009 and in conjunction with the RCE being filed herewith, please amend the instant application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.